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In re Patent Application of:

Shinichirou EDA, et al.

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For: DATABASE TRANSITION SYSTEM AND PROGRAM STORAGE MEDIUM

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed February 24, 2004 finally rejecting claims 1-7. The items checked below are appropriate:

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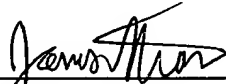
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Respectfully submitted,

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